JERRY VOORHIS
A 1959 photo

The No. 1 Nixon Hater

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[illegible] years, a [illegible] Californians have [illegible] the remarkable career of Richard Nixon. Chilled by [illegible] interest, they have been [illegible] "The Nixon Hater."

Nixon has been aware of their existence since the [illegible] on his political [illegible] of his public life, he has been compelled to glance over his shoulder to see who might be [illegible] on him. It is [illegible] as the clattering [illegible] of his W. Bush that [illegible] an obsession.

Sitting [illegible] dreamed [illegible] perhaps the [illegible]

Nixon [illegible] in terms of [illegible] years old, Jerry [illegible] Once a promising liberal Democratic congressman whose political career ended [illegible] corrupt, [illegible] when he lost his seat in [illegible] to a hard-hitting, largely unknown [illegible] and Nixon.

The Nixon [illegible] has [illegible] political scene [illegible] along [illegible] change in [illegible] the [illegible] as an [illegible] dirty politics.

Voorhis has not nursed his wounds quietly. He has described in books and articles his own encounter with Richard Nixon, and his own feeling, toward the man based on [illegible] anguish [illegible]

"The thing [illegible] Nixon [illegible] off [illegible] horse is the same kind of unethical campaign tactics that he's used throughout his career," Voorhis told an interviewer recently.

His latest treatise on the subject was published in June 1972 — a few days before the Watergate burglars were caught in the act of bugging the Democratic National Headquarters. Voorhis' book, "The Strange Case of Richard Nixon," was largely overlooked. It was, said most reviewers who bothered to glance through it, the diatribes and prejudices of a bitter old man.

It is interesting in light of well-known recent revelations [illegible]

[illegible] Voorhis [illegible] political [illegible] right perspective [illegible] nation.

More than a year [illegible] Voorhis reached the [illegible] conclusions.

[illegible]

[illegible] Nixon [illegible] Neither [illegible] people were [illegible] enough — to stop the [illegible] before it [illegible] late.

Then come Watergate.